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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA: Deputy Director (Plans)
Chief, Psychological and Paramilitary Staff

SUBJECT: Letter for DCI's signature

1. This memorandum suggests action on the part of the DCI.
2. Attached is a suggested reply to Mr. George Allen's letter to the DCI of July 16, 1958, in which he requests aid in placing persons released by the Voice of America in Munich due to a planned change in programming operations.



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Attachments

- 1 - Letter to Mr. George Allen
- 2 - ER-10-5520

cc: DDCI

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OFFICE OF
THE DIRECTOR

UNITED STATES INFORMATION AGENCY

WASHINGTON

July 16, 1958

Dear Allen:

As you may know, we are in the process of altering the character of the Voice of America's Munich Radio Center. Briefly, we propose to move programming operations to Washington and to convert the Center into a special events servicing unit. This means that on or about September 30 most of our non-American employees in Munich will be released.

I bring this matter to your attention in the belief that Radio Liberation and Radio Free Europe would find among our local people many highly skilled broadcasters who are expert in various languages, including some of the more unusual ones. If your Agency could assist in having as many as possible of these people picked up by other international broadcasters, I am sure it would be in the interest of our Government, especially since most of our local employees are stateless persons.

I should be very grateful for any help you can offer in this matter.

Sincerely,

George V. Allen
Director

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The Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director, The Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Dulles

A copy of this letter has been sent to Cord Meyer for preparation of an appropriate reply for your signature.



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Remarks:

Please prepare an appropriate reply for the Director's signature. The original of this letter is being sent to the Director.

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Remarks:

In addition to drafting a reply to the attached letter, please instruct RFE and AmComLib to have a look at the USIA employees who are being released with the thought in mind that there may be some talent they would want to hire. The Director specifically asked us to look into this.

3-4- Have done with RFE.
4-5 " " " AmComLib

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